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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

In the Specification:

On page , under <u>Cross-Reference to Related Application(s)</u>, please substitute the following amended paragraph for the paragraph found at lines 2-6:

The subject application claims the benefit of co-pending, commonly assigned, U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/262,024, filed January 16, 2001, entitled "Dynamic Spread Sheet," the entire contents of which is hereby incorporated by reference.

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It is respectfully requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached form PTO-1449 with initials or other appropriate marks indicating consideration of the cited materials.

Respectfully submitted,

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